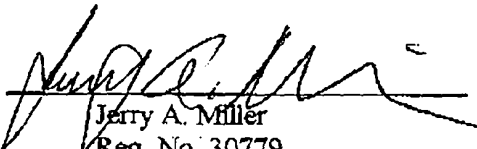
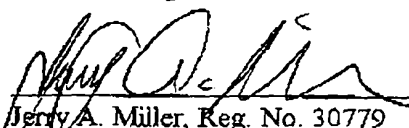


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Responsive to the Office Action dated October 9, 2003, Applicants respectfully traverse the rejections and request reconsideration as follows.